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Program at a Glance



**Texas City Attorneys Association
Fall Meeting in Conjunction with the
Texas Municipal League Annual
Conference**

4.75 Hours of MCLE Credit (Including 1 Ethics Hour)
Thursday, October 22, 2009 - Fort Worth

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8:00 - 9:00 a.m.
Registration

9:00 - 9:15 a.m.
Welcome and Opening Remarks
TCAA President Charles Anderson, City Attorney,
Irving; David Yett, City Attorney, Fort Worth

9:15 - 9:45 a.m.
Eminent Domain Update
Loren B. Smith, Olson and Olson, Houston

9:45 - 10:15 a.m.
Recent State Cases of Interest to Cities
Clarissa Rodriguez, Denton, Navarro, Rocha
and Bernal, San Antonio

10:15 - 10:30 a.m.
Break

10:30 - 11:00 a.m.
Veterans Employment Rights
Sheila Gladstone, Lloyd Gosselink, Austin

11:00 - 11:45 a.m.
Alternative Delivery Methods for Construction Projects
Tim Matheny, Ford, Nassen and Baldwin, Dallas

Noon - 1:45 p.m.
TML Delegates Luncheon and Presentation
(Separate Ticketed Event) or Lunch on Your Own

2:00 - 2:30 p.m.
Open Meetings Act – Unconstitutional?
Scott Houston, Texas Municipal League, Austin

2:30 - 3:00 p.m.
Recent Federal Cases of Interest to Cities
Randy Montgomery, D. Randall Montgomery and Associates, Dallas

3:00 - 3:15 p.m.
Break

3:15 - 3:45 p.m.
Hotel Tax Update
Bennett Sandlin, Texas Municipal League, Austin

3:45 - 4:45 p.m.
Ethics
Ross Fischer, Denton, Navarro, Rocha and Bernal, San Antonio

4:45 p.m.
Business Meeting and Closing
Election of TCAA Officers and Passing of the Gavel